



Sponsored by the Watchung Environmental Commission

The Watchung Environmental Commission is sponsoring an educational film entitled “**QUEEN OF THE SUN: What are the Bees Telling Us?**” The public is invited to attend **FREE** of charge which will include post film discussion led by an expert on beekeeping.

This film is a profound, alternative look at the global bee crisis; one, if left unresolved, could well develop into a food shortage of major proportions. Taking us on a journey through the catastrophic disappearance of bees and the mysterious world of the beehive, this engaging and ultimately uplifting film weaves a dramatic story of the heartfelt struggles of beekeepers, scientists, environmentalists and philosophers from around the world as they face this issue.

Julie Jursuz, member of **New Jersey Beekeepers Association**, will be the post-film keynote speaker, sharing beekeeping experiences with suggestions on what can be done to protect precious honeybees and other pollinators in our backyards as well as at local and state levels.

It is anticipated that the film and ensuing discussion will enlighten the audience as to the causes and impact of the problems being faced. As individuals and groups, we can participate in creating solutions by working towards a renewed culture in balance with nature.

Where: Watchung Hills Regional High School – South Auditorium